#### From Zone Chair Allan Murphy

#### **Report for Cabinet**

#### March 2021

- 1.1 Decisions required of Cabinet:
- 1.2 Justification for decisions:
- 1.3 Objectives for the year:
  - a) To keep / maintain contact with membership as a priority
  - b) To seek / attract new members
  - c) Continue to serve the local community

### 1.4 Progress against objectives:

#### 1.3 a)

Membership

Club	June 2020	September 2020	January 2021	April 2021
Sandown / Shanklin			8	
Ryde			19	
Newport / Cowes			16	
Ventnor			5	
Jersey			35	
Guernsey			18	
Total			101	

#### 1.3 b) Ryde have two people who are interested in becoming members.

#### 1.3 c) please see below

#### Club reports

#### Club report from Newport

Membership 7

Financial Status Charity £2021 Admin 1207 Deposit 4033

Meetings via Zoom

Fundraising - N/A

Welfare/community - assisting vulnerable neighbours MIAB sent out.

### **Club report from Ventnor**

Membership 5

Financial In good standing

Meetings via telephone

Fundraising n/a

Welfare/Community n/a

#### **Club report from Cowes**

Membership 9

Financial Charities 852 Admin 237

**Meetings** planning to implement Zoom meetings

Fundraising on hold

Welfare/Community - assisting various people in the community, shopping, MIAB and the collection of spectacles.

#### Club report from Ryde

Membership 19

Financial status Charities 2414

Meetings – via Zoom

Fundraising street collection £295, Christmas Jumper day £34, sale of Christmas cards / donations £150, soft toys £65

Welfare/community MIAB and collection of spectacles. Future events Walk the Wight, PSA testing day.

# Club report from Sandown and Shanklin

Membership 8

Financial status Charities £1896, Admin £1791, Activities £1336

Meetings - n/a keep in touch by telephone

Fundraising n/a due to lock-down

Welfare/community assisting various people in the community

## Club report from Jersey

Membership 35

Financial status Charities £74,232 Members £3,353

Meetings –

Fundraisina

Welfare/community Please see attached report from Jersey

Club report from Guernsey - waiting for an updated report
Membership 18
Financial status
Meetings
Fundraising
Welfare/community

All clubs are in good standing

Date of next zone meeting: 13th May 2021



# **LIONS CLUB OF JERSEY**

Jersey Registered Charity No: 352

# ZONE REPORT – MARCH 2021

The Jersey Lions Club is among the top Lions fundraisers in the British Isles but this year, as with so many other local charities, fundraising activities have been extremely limited. Nevertheless, Lions Clubs were founded worldwide on the principal "We Serve" and despite a significant depletion of available funds, the Jersey Lions' Community Service Committee has continued to support many in the local community.

From July to the end of December, the Lions Community Service Committee, led by Lion Jane Rueb, has spent almost £11,000 on helping 32 families and individuals. Typical of this help has been the provision of a washing machine and tumble drier to a family, a bath lift for a disabled person, the provision of a profiled bed and mattress and dental work for an elderly resident plus many more similar items for deserving cases.

Although many of the sums paid out are relatively small, they provide items that are essential for families and individuals to maintain a quality of life in these difficult times. In addition, with funding from a recent legacy, the Jersey Lions have been able to spend a further £5,000 on providing summer and half term activity holidays for young people.

The Club was also able to donate in excess of £8,000 to local and international projects in the past six months and have also committed £15,000 to provide deserving local people with free holidays at Maison des Landes Hotel, the Lions' ongoing major project for more than 50 years, as soon as the hotel is able to open and be compliant with the then current Covid-19 regulations.

# **Lion Peter Tabb**

President & PR Officer - Lions Clib of Jersey